LOCAL MISCELLANY.

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SHOT HIS WIFE.

Mrs. Rebecca Bruggy, who was shot by her husband at 343 West Forty-third st. on Monday night, flied at Roosevelt Hospital vesterday. The murderer was arraigned in the Yorkville Police Court to await the action of the Coroner. He disclaimed all knowledge of the shooting. A reporter of The Tribune visited the house yesterday where the family lived. Mrs. Kerrigan, an older sister of Mrs. Bruggy, told the story of the murder as follows: My sister has long been afraid of her husband. He drank very heavily at times, and came home on Monday night very drunk, when I heard him begin quarrelling with his wife. In a few minutes she ran into my room and shut the door, holding it closed, when in an instant I heard a pistol shot and saw my sister fall. The reporter saw the door with the bullet-hole made by a ball from a Smith & Wesson 32-calibre revolver. Police man Darcy, of the Twenty-second Precinct, who made the arrest, said that on the way to the Police Station in Forty-seventh-st. the prisone begged to be shot or to be given a revolver that he might kill himself.

The dying woman's ante-mortem statement, taken by Coroner Merkle early yesterday morning, said that her husband came home drunk between 10 and 11 and quarrelled with her, to which she did not reply angrily. He then threatened to shoot her, when she ran into the room of her brother and sister and told them of it, but returning a few moments later to her own room partly opened the door, when her husband said: "If you were a man I would shoot you," and immediately fired, the ball passing through the door and into her body. The autopsy made by Dr. Mcssemer last evening showed that the ball entered her right breast and pierced the right lung. Her death was sudden, although there had been no hope of her recovery. She was thirty-three years old and was married on May 3, 1882.

When the reporter called to see the prisoner at the Yorkville Police Court Prison he had not been told of his wife's death. In answer to quest SHOT HIS WIFE.

MATTERS DISCUSSED BY THE ALDERMEN. A RESOLUTION THAT ALL PIERS SHOULD BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC-NO ACTION ON THE EXCISE NOMI-

NATIONS.

The Chamber of the Board of Aldermen was heavily draped in black, yesterday, in remembrance of Peter Cooper. When the Board was called to order by President Reilly, there was a large number of politicians present, waiting to see what action would be taken with reference to the nominations for Excise Commissioners. They were a good deal disappointed as time passed and nothing was done. Mayor Edson sent to the Board a petition, signed by many persons, reminding him of the number of liquor stores in the city, and asking him to nominate for Excise Commissioners only "gentlemen who will administer the law in its true spirit and intent in regard both to the character and the number of persons licensed to sell intexticating liquors." It was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices. On motion of Alderman Wells, the Legislature was asked to pass the bill to open Lexington-ave, from Ninety-seventh to Ninety-sighth-st, and from Ninety-seventh to One-hundred-and-second-st. NATIONS.

49 present.
"Then I will dispense with the services of these "Then I will dispense with the services of these jurors," said the Recorder. "I do not see how twelve intelligent men could have failed to arrive at some conclusion on evidence that seemed so plain." The jury was discharged and the defendant's bail was doubled. The Recorder said that the liquor store complained of has been the scene of recent robberies.

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After waiting several months to ascertain what effect the decision of the Court of Appeals in the Ryan case would have on the Police Pension Fund, the Commissioners yesterday took action on the applications of sixteen officials who had become unable to perform full duty. Sergeant W. H. McConnell. of the Thirty-fourth Precinct, was retired on an annual pension of \$800. Thirteen patrolinen, who had been in service for twenty years or more, received pensions of \$600 per annum. Doorman John Gillen, who has been more than twenty years in the Department, was retired on \$450 a year. One patrolinan, Bernard J. Leonard, was placed on a yearly stipend of \$200. He is the only one of the lot who is not a "twenty-years man," and he is also the only one who has sued for and recovered back pay under the Ryan decision. Like Ryan he has been a confirmed invalid for several years. His counsel may contest his retirement on the ground that he ought to receive at least \$300.

The action of the Police Commissioners in retiring so many policemen on pensions in the face of a threatened destruction of the Pension Fand caused some surprise at Police Headquarters. Two of the Commissioners said that there was still enough of the fund left to last about two years. e fund left to last about two years.

ARREST OF A DEFAULTING CASHIER. ARREST OF A DEFAULTING CASHIER.

Franz Fritsche, late cashier of the "Prager Maschinenban Akton Gesellschatt," a corporation doing business in the city of Prague, Austria, was arrested yesterday, on the arrival of the German steamer Donau, by Deputy Sheriff O'Connor. The order of arrest was issued by Judge Donohue on the affidavit of Hugo O. Fritsch, the Austrian Consul in this city. He had been arvived by cable from the authorities of Prague that the prisoner on March 24 embezzied 3,382 florins, equal to \$1,420 44. Fritsche gave up about \$500, all that he possessed, and was released. He left this city for Pittsburg and eventual.

REGISTER'S OFFICE NOTES. Five los and dwellings at the southeast corner of Fourth-ave, and Thury-seventh st. have been conveyed by William Libbery, formerly of the firm of A. T. Stewart & Co., to ex-Judge Henry Hilton for each other.

T. Stewart & Co., to ex-Judge Henry Hitton for \$300,000.

A three-fourths interest in the premises at Nos. 326, 328 and 330 Breadway, Nos. 94, 96 and 98 Worth-st, not No. 552 Peariest has been acquired for \$303,750 by faiza Arnold, who in conjunction with her husbhaid conveyed a half interest in the entire property to Wilham E. Tell for \$261,000 after placing a \$375,000 mortgage upon her purchase.

THE NEW BRITISH CONSUL-GENERAL.

States, British Columbia and Mexico-Fiel the retirement of Consul-General Archibald, about two months ago. Prior to leaving San Francisco Mr. Booker was given a banquet by merchants, where complimentary resolutions were adopted. There are to be no changes in the consular staff.

ANOTHER FRANCHISE GIVEN AWAY. PERMISSION TO TEAR UP THE STREETS ACCORDED TO THE ELECTRIC LINES COMPANY-THE MAYOR'S

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THE ELECTRIC LINES COMPANY—THE MAYOR'S VETO OVERRIDDEN.

The Board of Aldermen yesterday after a heated discussion, passed over the Mayor's veto the scheme giving the New-York Electric Lines Company the right to construct vaults, lay tubes, etc., for carrying electric wires under the streets and avenues. Alderman Carroll called up the resolution and moved that it be passed over the Mayor's veto.

Alderman Wells said that there were grave doubts in the minds of the Mayor and Corporation Counsel as to the right of the Board to pass the resolution, there being a question as to whether the company was legally incorporated.

Alderman Waite said that when he introduced the resolution he believed that he was forwarding the interests of a company who would solve the problem of placing the telegraph wires under ground. Since the veto by the Mayor he had inquired into the matter and had found that nearly every man whose name had been used in connection with the company had only a prospective interest contingent on the procuring of a franchise by the corporation. He had been informed that it would be impossible to operate all the various kinds of electric light, telegraph and telephone wires in one tube or tunnel.

Alderman O'Connor said that some of the Aldermen had been franchise to the Electric Lines Company. From the manner in which the franchise had been handled he was convinced that it might truthfully be described as a child of fear, born of fraud, and having for its nurse a New-York Board of Aldermen. He was sorry to see that the Democrats were losing their confidence in the Mayor, especially when the Mayor had vetoed an attempt to legalize a robbery of the taxpayers. No Alderman could consistently vote for the passage of this resolution.

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Al erman Kirk said that the city would receive something for the franchise. The company could not sell or transfer the franchise without the consent of the Mayor and Aldermen. Possibly if the clause compensating the city was stricken out there would less opposition.

After some further discussion the vote on overriding the Mayor's veto was had. Alderman Edward Duffy, when his name was reached, said that the only trouble about the irresponsibility of the company was that Jay Gould, Cyrus W. Field and Russell Sage were not pulling the wires. Alderman O'Connor said the resolution was defective because it did not prescribe the time in each year when the streets might be torn up.

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The vote was as follows: Yeas—President Reilly, Aldermen Carroll, DeLacy, Edward Duffy, Michael Duffy, Farley, Finek, Fitzpatrick, Fleischbem, Foley, Jachne, Kenney, Kirk, McLaughlin, O'Neil, Rinckhoff, Seaman, Sheehy, and Smita—19. Nays —Aldermen Cochrane, Grant, O'Connor, Waite, and Wells—5.

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There was a smile of satisfaction on the face of Sidney F. Sherbourne, president of the company, as the vote was announced.

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A young woman named Bertha Silk, living at No.

44 East Fourth-st, called on Inspector Byrnes
about two weeks ago and told him that Mrs. Margaret Lowe, keeper of an intelligence office at Firstst, and the Bowery, had advised her to accept a
position as a waiter girl in a saloon kept
by a Mrs. Miller, in Butte City, Montagas, that
her wages would be \$15 a week, and that she
could double this providing she was obliging
and agreeable; that four girls had consented to
go and the next day started with Mrs. Schuitz and
the other girls from Jersey City. Before Trenton
had been reached Mrs. Schuitz had explained to the
girl too plainiv to be misunderstood that she was

IN THE DEPTHS OF PENURY. IN THE DEPTHS OF PENURY.

Adam Seifert and his wife Mary were taken to the Thirty-seventh Street Police Station in a handcart by Officer Delaney on Monday night. The officer said he found them in a stable in the rear of No. 517 Eleventh-ave., trying to sleep off a debauch. Their two children, a blind boy named Richard, six years old, and Frances, four years old, were with them. An army of rats had surrounded the group, and, judging by marks on the children's bodies, had bitten them. In the Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday the children were taken in charge by the Secrety for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, and the parents were committed to Blackwell's Island for four months in default of \$500 bail. The man said that they had been dispossessed from their home at No. 524 West Thirtyninth-st, last Friday, and that they have been wandering about the streets ever since.

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The funeral of the Rev. Dr. A. H. Partridge, late rector of Christ Church, in Bedford-ave., Brooklyn, took place in the church yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by the Rev. Drs. L. W. Bancroft, of Christ Church, in Clinton-st., and C. H. Hall, of Holy Trinity. Dr. Bancroft made a brief address. The pall-bearers were Francis Taylor, H. B. Scholes, John G. Marshall, Nathan W. Hunt, E. J. Sterling, James Rodwell, S. A. Haver, J. S. Simpson, L. E. Blackwell, and Andrew Geyer. The interment was in Woodlawn Cemetery.

William Lane Bocker, the successor to British Consul-General Archibaid, arrived here from San Francisco on Monday nigat, and was at his office at No. 19 Broadway yesterday. Mr. Booker was born in London in 1825, and in 1849 went to San Francisco. Two years afterward, when the British Consultate was established in San Francisco, he was appointed ever ary. This position he retained until 1856, when he was promoted to the Consulsaip and retained the position—having the supervision of the Pacific.

tion from the purser or officers, who seemed considerably surprised to hear that they were supposed to have detectives on board. The purser had observed no suspicious persons during the voyage, but added that the passage had been so rough that very few persons had appeared on deck till within the last day or two. In conversation with passengers, no traces of detectives could be found. The only men who seemed at all worthy of this suspicion on board were a pair in the smoking room who were discussing the dynamite question with each other, but who immediately changed the subject on the approach of the reporter. "If there were any here, however," said one of the officers, "they wouldn't be worth much if we could find it out."

SUSPICIOUS OF A TORPEDO-BOAT. SUSPICIOUS OF A TORPEDO-BOAT.

The torpedo-boat upon which the inventor, J. G. Holland, has been making experiments for nearly two years, started out on Monday for a trial-triy down the bay in charge of the engineer. The odd-looking craft has been lying all winter in front of Gokey's ship-yard at the foot of Grove-st. Jersey City, and was visited occasionally by Mr. Holland, but no work was done on her until a few days ago. On Monday the engineer started off at high tide, intending to return in a few hours. Mr. Gokey informed a Tribune reporter, yesterday, that he expected the boat back on Monday evening, but was not surprised at her failure to return, as she was away one time last summer for two or three weeks on a trial. Many popular rumors were floating about yesterday to the effect that this torpedo-boat had been bought by Irish malcontents.

TRYING EX-MAYOR DE BEVOISE,

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The hearing in the suit of the Citizens' Committee of Long Island City against ex-Mayor De Bevoise, to compel him to refund \$108.000, alleged to have been misappropriated by him while Mayor, was begun yesterday in the Supreme Court before Judge Barnard. Attorney-General Russell and John E. Develin appeared for the people, and Winchester Britton and J. A. Wernberg for the defence. H. J. Oldring, cashier of the Mechanics' and Traders' Bank of Greenpoint; Mayor Petrie; George R. Turnbull, the expert accountant; Richard H. Bull, president of the New-York Savings Bank; the President of the East River Ferry Company; John B. Fish, cashier of the Marine National Bank; John Wheeler, a director of the People's Savings Bank; and Henry Siebert, a lithographer, testified regarding the bonds said to have been over-issued. The suit is exciting much interest in Long Island City.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT IN PATERSON. MURDEROUS ASSAULT IN PATERSON.

In a drunken fight in a liquor-shop kept by J. H. Sinn in Edison-st., Paterson, N. J., yesterday afternoon, James Cochran was struck on the forehead with a heavy beer-glass, which was splintered with the force of the blow. Cochrane was moved to St. Joseph's Hospital, where he lies in a critical condition, his skull being slightly fractured and his forehead terribly cut. A man called "Jack Denny," inving in Jersey-st., was arrested on suspicion of participating in the assault and locked up to await the result of Cochran's injuries. The saioon where the assault was made is in the same neighborhood as that of Christian Stock, where the fatal assault on William Kimlin is said to have occurred last Thursday night.

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In December, 1878, D. S. Early, General Agent of the United Brethren Mutual Ald Society, was sent to Augusta, Me., to confer with the insurance commissioner as to the admission of the society to do business in that State. In Boston he was joined by Mr. R. L. Chadbourne, of Eastport, Me., who was to accompany him to Augusta in the interest of the society. Being sented together in a car, soon after the train pulled out of Boston, Mr. E. and Mr. C. engaged in conversation, and ere long, by request of Mr. C., Mr. E. commenced to explain to him the origin and cree of the cherch of the United Brethren in Christ. Being a very energetic and demonstrative talker, Mr. Early's manner attracted the attention of fearly all in the car, and especially of an elderly, clorical-looking gentleman who sat in the next seat behind them, who happened to be falthough Mr. Early did not know it) none other than Cardinal McCloskey, of New-York. In the course of his remarks Mr. Early spoke in commendable terms of some of the peculiarities of the church of his chole, and pointed out its superiority in doctrine on certain points.

Parts Dispatch in The London Telegraph.

You were informed a short time ago that a movement was on foot for petitioning the President of the Republic to amnesty Prince Krapotkine, recently condemned at Lyons to five years imprisonment for his share in the aparchist conspiracy. The step was suggested by the success with which the efforts of a number of literary and scientific men in England to obtain a similar favor for the celebrated geographer, Elysee Reclus, sentenced to transportation for participation in the Commune, were attended. Prince Krapotkine, like his political friend and ally, is distinguished in the scientific world. Hence the sympathy that has been aroused on his behalf among certain of our fellow-countrymen. The petition, drawn up in London, was fowarded a dwys ago to M. Auguste Vacqueric, the editor of the Rappel, and has since been presented by him to M. Jules Grevy. It runs thus: "M. le President-We, the undersigned English subjects and citizens of other countries, artists, arcents, and men of letters, appeal to your clemency in favor of Prince Pierre Krapotkine, who has been condemned to fire years' imprisonment in a French prison by the Lyons Court. His explorations in Siberia and Finland are considered cheft a awarra. In Russia, the Imperial Geographical Society of St. Petersburg has published at its expense the admirable work in which he has explained the results of his investigations into the geographical Society and Matere, as well as that excellent work the Encyclopædia Britanulca. 'We are of opinion that his devoted to Russia in M. Elysée Réclus's 'Geographical Society and Matere, as well as that excellent work the Encyclopædia Britanulca.' We are of opinion that his absence would be a great loss to science, and consequently to humanity, and we implore your intervention, hoping that you will restore him to the labors in which he excels and to the studies to which he has devoted his emistant, complications, and desired and material substant of the release of the Royal Geographical Soci DYNAMITE IN KAFFIRLAND.

From The London Ecto.

A telegram from Durban states that the operations against Mapoen by the Boers are proceeding slowly but surely. The destruction of their crop, and the seizure of their cattle, dishearten the malves, as well they may. The Volksstem publishes some "extracts from the note-book" of a special correspondent, which show how the war is carried on. The correspondent is describing an attack upon the Bokgat, one of the strongholds of the enemy. "About 7 a.m. Nellmapins opened the ball in earnest with a grand dynamite solo, which although it rent and tore the stones up with terrible effect, doubless sending many unseen foes at war's gallop to their last account, still called up a scattered fre." "A second and a third charge of dynamite were exploded, and all fired by electricity, and a number of handgrenades thrown into the holes; and now it may be said of the dreaded Bokgat, 'the place thereof shall know it no more.' Presumably all the Kaffire in it have either perished or been burned alive beneath the decire." It is rough and terrible warfare, where quarter is seidom given, or even asked, by either party. Even the Boers, though provided with the most modern weapons, make but small provision for their wounded. The correspondent from whom we have already quoted says that 'very few drogs and chemicals, daily required, available in camp, and as to surgical instruments, etc., one may think oneself jucky and blessed with a razor, a ball of twine, an old hand-saw, and a much-washed shirt; even oil is at a premium." From The London Echo.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS. PROMINENT ARRIVALS.

Albemarle Hotel—President Noah Porter, of Yale College.... Windsor Hotel—Joseph Medill, of Chicago. and Theodore M. Pomeroy, of Auburn, N. Y..... Breveort House—Judge Amasa J. Parker, of Albany. St. Nicholas Hotel—General R. B. Ayres, U. S. A., and the Rev. Alexander McKenzle, of Cambridge, Mass... Gilsey House—Erastus Corning, of Albany... Hotel Brunswick —Attornay-General C. J. M. Gwinn, of Maryland... Hofman House—General J. S. Negley, of Pittsburg.... Purk Avenue Hotel—The Rev. Dr. Brainard, of Auburn, N. Y. ... Astor House—Congressman N. W. Nutting, of Oswego... Fifth Avenue Hotel—Allen Manroe, of Syracuse, and Colonel W. P. Canaday, of North Carolina.... St. James Hotel—The Rev. Dr. R. B. Fairbairn, of St. Stephen's College.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY. Railroad Commission investigation at Chamber of Commerce.
Hudson River Conference of Unitarian churches at All
Souls' Church.
Passion Play suit before Judge Donohue.
Ramsden case in Yorkville Police Court.
Eleventh Street Cemetery injunction before Judge

Lawrence.
Boston-Metropolitan baseball match on Polo Grounds.
Meeting relative to new post office site, at Brooklyn
Music Hall.

NEW-YORK CITY. There were landed 2.314 immigrants at Castle

Garden yesterday from four steamships. E. D. C. McKay, of this city, a graduate of Columbia College Law School, was recently admitted to practice. He is now pursuing the three years' course in the School of Political Science connected with Columbia College.

FINING MURDEROUS SAILORS.

F. R. Bolton and Frederick Nelson, the two sailors who fought with knives in a liquor shop in Cherry-st, on Monday night, were fined \$10 each in the Essex Market Court yesterday. Several other men engaged in the brawl are watched.

BUILDING A WEAK-WALLED THEATRE.

An examiner of the Bureau of Buildings yester-day reported that the south wall of the building, to be occupied as a theatre by McKee Rankin, at Nos. 443, 445 and 447 Third-ave., was out of plumb and THE BOARD FOR UNLISTED SECURITIES

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At a meeting yesterday of the members of the Board at which unlisted securities are dealt in, a dividend of \$45 a membership was declared from the receipts of the last year. The election of officers will take place probably next week.

NOIEWORTHY PASSENGERS FROM ENGLAND, Among the passengers who arrived on the Gallia from Liverpool yesterday were James B. Charters, D. C. Corbin, Lord Duomore, Baroness Gevers, the Rev. George Gladstone, the Rev. Alexander Hislop, Captain N. C. Morcom, and Joseph Stauss.

MEETING OF THE ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY.

The quarterly meeting of the St. George's Society was held yesterday at Delironico's. Resolutions were passed relative to the death of John G. Dale, he late treasurer of the Society, and F. W. J. Hurst was appointed Treasurer in his place. Fourteen new members were elected.

THE MISHAP TO ARTHUR WALLACK.

Arthur Wallack, who feli and cut his face severely while passing through one of the dark passages of the Star Theatre on Monday, was improving yesterday. Dr. Polk dressed the cuts, one of which required seventeen stitches. Mr. Wallack will be confined to his house for several day.

an order for henry J. Dudley's Arrest.

Justice Barrett, in the Supreme Court, Chambers, yesterday made an order, committing Henry J. Dudley to the County Jail, until he shall have obeyed an order of the court, directing him to pay \$300 alimoney and coursel fees to his wife, Susannah M. C. D. Dudley, who began some time ago an action for a separation.

A PHOT'S MISMANAGEMENT.

The Priot Commissioners yesterday held a court of inquiry upon the complaint of the North German Illoya against Priot T. Aitken for mismanagement in the handling of the steamship Main, as she was about to sair on January 27, causing so much trouble and delay that the captain of the Main finally took charge and dismissed the pilot. Decision was reserved until the next meeting.

RESUMING TRANSATIANTIC VOYAGES.

The four Monarch Line steamships which were chartered by the British Government for several months in the transport service to Egypt, have been returned to the line, and two of them, the Greciau Monarch and the Egyptian Monarch, have recently arrived here to resume trips between New-York and London.

David C. Bliss to BE TRIED.

David C. Bliss, alias. The Dietor, who was arrested for the theft of securities worth \$35,000 from the office of Erastus B. Treat, of No. 757 Brondway, was yeserday rearraigned in the Tombs Police Court. Justice Power committed him Jones Police Court. Springs Court, and mime.

A ROUNDSMAN ASSAULTED BY A PATROLMAN.
A formal complaint of felonious assault was preferred by Roundsman Chapman, of the Twenty-second Frecinct, in the Yorkville Police Court yesteroay, against Officer Van Cott, of the same precinct, who last night drew a pistol, and when that was wrenched away from him tried to use his club on the roundsman, who had caught him in a saloon in West Fitty-fourth-st, on Monday night. Justice Herrman paroled the accused for examination later in the month.

The dye-house of Charles Franke, at No. 613 West Forty-sixth-st., was broken into on April 6 and clothing worth \$200 was carried off. Wulnam Wilhams, age twenty-one, of No. 512 West Thirty-sixth-st., and James Highes, age eighteen, of No. 562 West Forty-mith-st., were arrested by Detective McArdle, of the Twenty-second Frechet, and confessed their guilt. They were held in \$1,000 confessed their guilt. They were held in \$1,000 bail each in the Yorkville Police Court yesterday for trial.

BOADS OF THE POLICE PROPERTY CLERK.

The Board of Police yesterday passed a resolution requiring the Property Clerk at Police Headquarters to give bonds hereafter to the amount of \$25,000. C. A. St. John, the present clerk, whose recent serious illuess caused considerable apprenen-sion in the Department, is under bonds amounting to only \$10,000. It was said yesterday that he would be able to resume his duties in a lew days. An investigation of his accounts has shown them to be correct. AFFIRMING THE PETROLEUM CONSOLIDATION

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The members of the National Petroleum Exchange voted yesterday to adopt the amendments to the constitution necessary to effect the proposed consolidation with the New-York Mining Stock Exchange. The vote was 335 for and six votes against the amendments. On Thursday the fifteen directors that are to represent the National Exchange in the consolidated organization will be elected.

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MARING UP A TICKET FOR TAMMANY SACHEMS.

A meeting of Tamany leaders favorable to Mr.

Kelly was held in the hall in Fourteenth-st, yesterday to make up a ticket for sachems to be elected
at the annual meeting next week. There is no expectation of any contest, and nearly all of the
present sachems will be re-elected. It was rumored
that the leaders also considered the subject of confirming Mr. Welde as Excise Commissioner, but
those present denied that such was the case. They
said, however, that it was doubtful if Mr. Welde
would be confirmed.

MEETING OF LICENSED VENDERS. About a hundred and fifty hierased venders dofted their hats when George Lester called the Licensed Vender's Protective Association to order at No. 239 South Fifth-ave., fast evening. A committee reported that the Board of Aldermen had passed an ordinance allowing venders to stop ten minutes at a time for the purpose of disposing of their goods, and reducing the fees for business. A resolution was passed approving of the efforts of Geo, II. Richardson to secure a repeal of the Penal Code, in so much as it prohibited the selling of fruit on Sunday. About a hundred and fifty licensed venders their hats when George Lester called the Li SENTENCED FOR VIOLATING THE PENAL CODE.

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Two charges of violation of the provisions of the
Penal Code, relating to the observance of Sunday,
were before the Court of General Sessions yesterday.
Bernard Mensing, a grocer, of No. 550 Tenth-ave.,
and John Waitz, a cigar dealer, of No. 914 Eighthave., pleaded guilty, the one of selling a few potatoes and the other of selling a single cigar on Sunday, Judge Gindersleeve sentenced each of the defendants to a fine of \$5 and one day's imprisonment
in the City Prison. These are the first cases of the
kind taken before the Court of General Sessions.

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A CHINAMAN'S FIGHT FOR HIS WATCH.

On Monday night, about 10:30 o'clock, Sing Lee, when near his home in Mott-st., was approached by two men, one of whom made a grab for his watch, which the Celestial held in his hand, while the other struck him several blows in the face. Sing Lee, however, retained possession of the timepiece, and at length put his assailants to flight by drawing a revolver. Bernhard Garner, eighteen years old, was acrested yesterday, recognized as one of the assailants and held at the Tombs Police Court.

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THE ACTORS' FUND BENEFIT.

It should be remembered that Barnum's Circus will give a special performance on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, for the benefit of the Actors' Fund. Mary Anderson will give her first matinee on the same day, at the Grand Opera House, for this cause, and John McCullough may be seen at Nibio's Garden. The first matinee of the Wyndham Company at the Union Square and of "The Russian Honeymoon" at the Madison Square Theatres also ask attention, and at the other theatres the current attractions of the week will be offered.

Colonel S. D. Bruce, in conversation with a Thibuth reporter yesterday, said a plan was under consideration to purchase the Prospect Park fair grounds and convert them into a first-class race trace. A company would be organized so soon as the deeds of the property, which have been forwarded to San Francisco for signature, have been returned to this city. It is intended that racing at the track shall be governed by the rules of the American Jockey Cinb, and there will be racing on the off days at Jerome Park, Sheepshead Bay and Monmouth Park. Arrangements will be made with ANOTHER RACE TRACK ON CONEY ISLAND.

King's Highway at regular intervals.

A MILLION-DOLLAR BAILWAY MORTGAGE.

A document dated April 12, 1881, was recorded in the Register's Office yesterday by which the New-York and Atlantic Railroad Company of New-Jersey gave a mortgage on its franchises, rights, receipts, etc., for \$1,000,000. This is executed for the purpose of securing the payment in 1911 of 6 per cent bonds issued by the company each of the par value of \$1,000. By another instrument it was shown that the railroad company in May, 1882, cancelled half of the bonds formerly issued and in their stead issued shares, each of the par value of \$100, to the amount of \$500,000. These they secure by giving a mortgage on their possessions to the American Loan and Trust Company. They become due thirty years from date and command interest at the rate of 6 per cent.

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THE UNITARIAN CONFERENCE.
The spring session of the New-York and Hudson River Conference of Unitarian and other Christian churches will take place to-day in All Sonly Church at Fourth-ave, and Twentieth-st. Vice-President John Harsen Rhoades will preside. There will be public sessions at 3 and 7:30 p.m. Among those to take part in the meetings are Miss Abby W. May, the Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale and the Rev. John F. Heywood, of Boston; the Rev. Samuel R. Calthrop, of Syracuse; the Revs. Joseph May and Charles G. Ames, of Philiadelphia; the Rev. Messrs. S. H. Camp and John W. Chadwick, of Brooklyn; the Rev. Messrs. Robert Collyer, Russell N. Bellows and George W. Gallagher, of New-York. The evening session will be devoted to a discussion of "The Effect of the Rational View of the Bible upon Religion and Morals."

INSTALLATION OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

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Constantine Commandery of Knights Templar.

No. 48, gave an eutertainment at its rooms, at One-hundred-and-thirtieth-st. and Third-ave., last night. The wives and lady friends of the Sir Knights were permitted to witness the installation of the following officers by R. E. Sir George W. Walgrove. Past Grand Commander, assisted by Eminent Sir Peter Forrester, Grand Captain-General: Eminent Commander, Charles P. Peirce; General: Eminent Commander, Charles P. Peirce; Generalissimo, Dr. J. R. MacGregor; Captain-General, James Cochrane; Treasurer, T. W. Timpson; Recorder, John W. Potter; Prelate, Dr. A. N. Brockway; Senior Warden, J. J. Conklin; Junior Warden, L. S. King; Sword-bearer, W. H. De Graaf; Standard-bearer, R. R. Sherwood; Warder, W. L. Chester; Guards, James Bryant, S. R. Bovden and Dr. E. S. D. Shaw; Captain of Guard, G. B. McIntosh. The installation was followed by musical and literary exercises.

BROOKLYN.

Police Commissioner Jourdan reappointed Henry L. Jewett an Inspector of Police vesterday. Mr. Jewett resigned the place a month ago on the score of ill health.

of ill health.

The Brooklyn Presbytery has chosen the Rev. Dr. J. G. Butler and the Rev. L. R. Foote and Messrs. Cruikshank and Henderson as Commissioners to the General Assembly.

One of the incidents of Decoration Day will be the unveiling of the sarcophagus erected over General Joseph C. Pinckney's grave at Greenwood by the members of Camereon Posti G. A. R. The sarcophagus is of granite, with bronze emblems of the Masonic order and the Grand Army of the Republic.

Republic.

John Voorhees, age twenty-four, died yesterday at No. 97 Devoe-st., under peculiar circumstances. He left his father's house ten vears ago and went to board with a Mrs. Jones, of No. 360 South Fifthst. He alterward became engaged to Mrs. Jones's daughter and was to have married her in a few weeks. He was taken sick with hemorrhage of the lungs a short time ago, and was cared for by Miss. Jones and her mother. They applied to his father for aid in taking care of him, but refused to allow him to be removed from their house. On Monday the father, armed with a warrant, had his son removed from the house by a policeman despite the protests of Miss Jones. The girl begged to be allowed to go with him and care for him, but was not allowed to do so. The sick man was bundled into a coach and driven to a house at Union-ave, and Scholes-st., where he died.

JERSEY CITY.

Adolph Williams, one of the lodgers burned in the recent fire in Greene-st., died of his injuries yesterday in the Charity Hospital. He had been only ten months in the country and had no friends here.

Frank Berry, age twenty-seven, of No. 182 Mont-gomery-st., deck hand on the propeller Mattie L. Tiee, fell overboard yesterday morning while the host was off Robbins deef and was drowned. He was not missed for some time and his body was not westchester county.

New-Rochelle.—At the annual meeting of the rowing club the following named officers were elected: President, John S. Nicholas; vice-president, T. Fisher; secretary, Eugene Valentine; treasurer, Herman Lambden; and captain, E. B.

GLEN Cove.—Burglars broke into the drug store of F. A. Wright on Monday night and stole from the safe \$160.

SMITHTOWN BRANCH.—The remains of the woman found on Saturday on the plains have not yet been identified.

PATERSON.—James Robinson, a middle-aged marries man employed as teamster at the Cooke Locomotive Works, met with a singular accident on Monday. He was driving six horses attached to a truck with a heavy boiler on it, and was walking by the side of the truck when he found himself suddenly caught between the truck and the side of a canal bridge which he was crossing. In struggling to escape he fell under the wheels, and both legs were so badly crushed that they had to be amputated. He may recover. ... About fifty hand-loom weavers at the silk mills of William Strange & Co, are on strike against a reduction of wages. ... The inquest in the silk mills of William Stranges Co. are of strate against a reduction of wages.... The inquest in the case of William Kimlin will begin on Frdiay. An autopsy yesterday showed that death was caused by a fractured skull. William Forbes, ar-rested as one of Kimlin's assailants, is still in cus-

"Well," observed a fourteen-year-old boy, knocking the askes off his eigarette and throwing down a printed catalogue of "a valuable private library to be sold at public sale ".— well he must have been a dry old stica. Five thousand books in his library and not a single dime novel about Injuns or piruts among 'em !"
—[Norristown Herald.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE. MINIATURE ALMANAC.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 13. Alisa West Indies Atlas,
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Sante Domingo, West Indies Clyde's,
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SHIPPLAG NEWS.

PORT OF NEW-YORK.....TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1883.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Gallia (BP), Hains, Liverpool March 31 via Queens town April 1, with midse and passengers to Vernon H Brown Steamer Ethiopia (Br), Campbell, Giasgow March 27 via Moville 28, with midse and passengers to Henderson Bros.

Steamer Pragua (8r), Clayton, Genoa Feb 27, Catania March 5, Messana 7, Sorrento 9, Valencia 17, Gibraltar 20, with midse to Phelps Bros & Co. 5. Messina 7. Sorrento 9. vanishina 17. Orbitata 2. v., what make to Pheips Bros & Co.

Steamer Gelser (Ban), Schelerbeck, Copenhagen March 22 via Christiana and Christiansand, with mide and passengers to Fanch, Edye & Co.

Steamer Bonan (Ger), Ringk, Bremen March 25 via Southampton 13 days, with mides and passengers to Octrichs & Co.

Steamer Main (Ger), Heimbruch, Bremen March 28 via Southampton 10 days, with midse and passengers to Octrichs & Co. Co. Steamer Jerome (Br), McCartney, Para 11 days, with rub-

Steamer Carondelet, Hines, Fernandina, via Brinswick, Ga and Port Royal, with mise and passengers to C H Mallor, and Port Royal, with mose and passengers to & Co.

Steamer City of Augusta, Nickerson, Savannah 2½ days, with mose and passengers to Henry Yonge, ir.

Steamer City of Atlants, Lockwood, Charleston, with mose and passengers to W Quintard & Co.

Steamer Benefactor, Tribou, Wiimington 3 days, with mose and passengers to Wm P Cityle & Co.

Steamer Guyandotte, Keiley, Richmond, City Point and Norfolk, with mose and passengers to Old Dominion Se Co.

Steamer Neptune, Berry, Boston, with mose and passengers

of M Fulmors.

Steamer Neptune, Berry, Bearty, Liverpool 32 days with muse to H F Dimoca.

Ship Alfred D Snow, Whiley, Liverpool 32 days with muse to Snow & Burgess.

Ship Meta (Ser), Huschke, Bremen 76 days, with empty burrels to order, vesses to Theo Ruger. Ship Meta (dec), thuselike, breamen 70 days, with empty barriels to order; vesset to Thee Ruger.

Bark Fortuna (Ital), Russo, Castellamare 86 days, with truit to order; vesset to master.

Bark Blincher (Ger), Schumacher, Bremen 62 days, with empty barriels to order; vessel to Thee Ruger & Co.

Bark Sea Blind (of Windsor, NS), Shaw, buenes Ayres Dec 25 via Montevideo 66 days, with midse to order; vessel to C W Bertaux.
Bark Voyager (Br), Down, Macelo 40 days, with sugar to Matthiessen & Weichers; vessei to Geo F Builey.

Matthessen & Weichers; vessel to Goo F Bulley.
Bark America, Armstrong, Demerara 29 days, with sugar
H Trowbridge's Sons.
Bark Serrano (of St John, NB). Edgett, Cienfuegos 17 days, Bark Serrano od St John, NB), Edgatt, Cienfuegos 17 days, with sugar to order, vessel to master.

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Steamer Scythia (Br), Murphy, Liverpool via Queenstown
-Vernon H Brown & Co.
Steamer Marcingo (Br), Mailet, Hull—Sanderson & Soo.
Steamer Canada (Fr), Franguel, Havre—Louis de Beblan.

the Brighton and Manhattan Beach roads to stop at
King's Highway at regular intervals.

Steamer Zandam (Dtch), Chevaller, Amsterdam—F
Edve & Co.
Steamer Coion. Porter, Aspinwall—Pacific Mail Es Co.
Steamer Josephine Thompson, Moore, Baltimore-Bark S F Whitney (Br), Spicer, Liverpool-J F Whitney & Co.

Bark Bertha, Crockett, Havana—J H Winchester & Co.

Bark Havana, Rice, Havana—C S Wood,

Brig Three Cheers, McConnell, Maranham—McCullough,
Beceher & Co.

Brig Starlight (Br). Sibley, Port Spain—L W & P Arm.

Steamers Alaska, for Liverpool; Annie, Aronmouth; Colon, Aspinwal; Old Domnion, Richmond, etc.
Also saffed-Via Long Island Sound-Steamer Glancus, for Beston. Bark Venezuela, Anjier, Java, MISCELLANEOUS.

frong. Brig Ruby, Rice, Bridgetown—D Trowbridge & Co.

Steamer Dorset (Br), Stamper, from New-York, which were ground in Bristol harbor yesterday, has been floated. THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.
POREIGN PORTS.

dam (Dt-h), Sterendregt, from New-York March 28 on her way to Amsterdam.
LIVERFOOL, April 10—Arrived, steamers Bessel (Br), Bigir, from New-York March 28, Nessurore (Br), Inch, from Baltimore March 26, Nessurore (Br), Inch, from Baltimore March 26, Cytexestown, April 10—Arrived, steamers Eustace (Br) Brochie, from Philadelphia March 26; Egypt (Br), Sumner, from New-York March 31, on her way to Liverpool (and proceeded). GLASGOW, April 10-Arrived, steamer State of Nevada (Br), Stewart, from New-York March 29.

LARNE, April 8-Sailed, steamer State of Nebraska (Br), Brass, from Glasgow hence for New-York,

DUBLIN, April 19-Arrived, steamer Ahdeek (Br), Hutton, from New-York March 21.

LONDONDERRY, April 10-Arrived, steamer Orpington (Br), Doinglass, from Baltimore March 31.

HAVEE, April 19-Arrived, steamer Le Chatcher (Fr), Guillermo, from New-Orleans March 16.

HALIFAX, April 10—Sailed, steamer Carroll, Boston.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

BOSTON, April 10—Arrived, steamers Batavia (Br), Wheaton, Liverpool: Allentown, Swaeny, Philadelphia; Berks, Hand, do; C W Lord, Doane, Baltimore, Cleared, steamers Gen Roberts, Gesch, Cienfuegos, Alpha Br, Davis, Yarmouth, NS: City Point, Ludlow, Annapolis, NS. NS.
PHILADRIPHIA, April 10—Arrived, steamers City of Macon,
Nickerson, savannah; Tacony, Davis, New-York,
Cleared, steamers Norman, Nickerson, Boston; Louisa, McCleared, steamers Norman, Nickerson, Boston; Louisa, McClear, New-York, April 10—Arrived, steamers Bellingham (Br),
Baltimone, April 10—Arrived, steamers Bellingham (Br),
Bari, Benisaf, Goval (Br), Brown, Paerto Cortes, Allegheny,
Hailett, Boston; Armenia, Heary, New-York, Octorara, Rey,
noits, 40. nodis, do. Cleared, steamers Roma (Ger), Shuler, Rotterdam: Saragos-sa, Warren, Charleston: Wm Wooiward, Young, New-York, Sailed, steamer Saragossa, Charleston, April 10-Arrived, steamer Fanita, Hines 'hiladelphia; SAVANNAH, April 10-Arrived, steamer Peconic (Br), Way,

SAYANNAH, April 10-Arrived, steamer Peconic (Br), Way, Boston.
Sailed, steamer Johns Hopkins. Baltimore.
New-Ontakays, April 10-Cleared, steamers Gracia (Span), Liverpool: Maritana (Br), Queenstown; Antonio, Bremen: Murtel, Housen. New-Orleans, Halsey, New-York.
FOREIGN SHIPPING.
LONDON, April 10-Sailed, 30th ult, C S Bushnell.
Arrived, 7th inst, Eleano, Kate Covert, at Plymouth: Kong Swerre at Bordenau; Ragna, Roma; 9th inst, Aftensjernen, off Beachy Head, Alkor, Arlinston. Fingal, Formica (Capt Jensen) the latter at Dover; India, John T Berry, Laura (Capt Koaten) the latter at Deak; Lorely at Dover, Naoni, Onni (Capt Abrahamsen) the latter at Dover; Peter Stuart, 5t George; 19th inst, Akaron.

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